METHACHDINARY "MANIFESTATIONS." A letter in the Saint Louis "Spirit World,"

one in the circle or room would have been readily detected, and I can assure you, Mr. Editor, as readily exposed and condemned. The next operation of our spirit-friend was combing the heads in the circle. I cannot remember ever having miss done up more nicely; the teeth in the comb were distinctly felt by all present. Our invisible hair dresser would invariably finish by giving us a box on the ear. During this performance we could feel something like the ends of fingers on our heads; but put your Cyrus Powell, Mrs. Powell, David Willis, hand on one side to exten it, and it was on the Miss Mary Powell, Philadelphia, Mo.; Peother ! The next manifestation was the etloking us with pins; almost simultaneously, each individual was stuck - the pin apparently entering half its length, or until the blood would come

any of the results that would naturally follow such a cause. The spirit then went round the circle, shaking hands with us; and although it was simply a touch, and beyond our power to grasp, still we could plainly feel the shape of a hand. He was then heard in the centre of the this city, got into a quarrel, which ended in room, away from the circle, cracking his fingers. He then took a portion of the bed clothes, and went round the circle whipping us with them. We then asked the spirit to draw some of our outs and boots, which was immediately doze—first a cont and then a boot.— While this was going on, hearly all of us made ceeded in making his escape. - [Cape Girar-efforts to catch that which seemed to hover so deau Engle. near and control us, but it would, however, frequently touch our hands as if to assure us that it might be held.

Finally, my hat, which was a braided straw one, passed from my head! Notwithstanding the series of events just witnessed, the amazement of the company at this evidence of spirit power, cannot be described. The hat was carried to and fro along the ceiling, rubbing it dis-tinutly all the way; when, suddenly, rip! rip! it came, piece by piece, string by string, atom after atom, to the centre of the floor!

The above is only a brief history of the evening of the 20th. To give a full and min-ute account would eccupy more room in your paper chan I feel willing to take. And as it is to us more of novelty than beneficial, I pass it by to give your readers the manifestations of the f flowing evening, which surpassed anything I have ever seen or heard of.

After much had been given by spirits, similar to the previous evening, it was proposed to form a large circle, place the medium, (Miss Mary Powell,) in the centre of it, and have some real fun, for "Tun" was what led most of them to the circle. This being done, it was desired of the spirits, that if present, to signify the same by saying "yes." We were induced to go thus far in our request from the fact that some one, on nother occasion, thought he heard an audible voice. To the astonishment of all, I may say to the terror of many—"yes" was spoken in a tone so distinct that all present heard it. Some were so frightened at this manifestation that they ran from the roem; others burst into a fleed of from the roem; others burst into a fleed of tears—among the latter number, Miss Powell, the medium. After the excitement had somewhat abated we enquired whether the spirit would converse with us? It answered readily, in a clear, audible voice, "Yes, if you are all willing!" I should state that the number present numbered twenty ar twenty-five.

A vote was immediately taken as to who

were willing to listen to the spirit, when we replied that ALL were content. The spirit enswered that all did not say "yes." Now it seemed an unanimous "yes" had been heard; but on enquiry it was found that the andledy of the house and a young man had remained allent; but these soon gave their onsent, when the spirit commenced speak

ng as follows : "Oh! do not believe that I am the Devil-"Oh! do not believe that I am the Devil—(a very common opinion among the specators, and seemed confirmed by the proseedings of the previous evening)—for it is
the spirit of Mary Grey, (a young lady who
led in this neighborhood about fourteen
sare ago,) that now speaks to you. She
was one of your best friends; she is your
riend still. She comes to speak peaks, and
esseech you to love Ged. You remembe

a little child that died in this place a few dated "Baconvines, (Marien Ce., Me.,) April
28, 1868," relates some circumstances well calgulated to task credulity. The following is an
instruct from the letter—and appended are the
hames of witnesses and sudifors, with whom
some of our readers may be acquainted:

On the first evening, hearing of the "fun,"

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The following is an
in Heaven. I am forced to say there
are many in this room who are not prepared for the comforts of the spirit life. I
could call their names, but will not. Will days ago; I met that child on the way to its On the first evening, hearing of the "fun," as they called it, several persons, mestly young men, came into the circle to satisfy an idle curiosity. The apirits being called on, one suddenly announced its presence by dancing and stamping until the house shook; leud raps followed; according to previous direction, the lights in the reom were extinguished, yet the large sky-lights and windows afforded sufficient that any attempt at deception on the part of any one in the circle or room would have been readily detected, and I can assure you, Mr. Editor.

Dared for the comforts of the spirit life. I could call their names, but will not. Will they turn and serve God? He is love. He is love. You have been this and last evening trifling with them, but not to trifle with the proceeding as his means will allow, he hopes to have as his means will allow, he hopes to have as his means will allow, he hopes to have whose well known chief characteristic of energy, leads them to desire to see everything on the progressive march. Recollect it is the shop nearest to Hickman's Stove Store. It is on the west side of Main street, two doors north of Bird street.

(ap-23-d-1y) and said it was a wicked spirit that tore up of Main street, two doors north of Bird the hat. She continued: "I have wings; I street. (ap-23-d-1y) could fan all of your but will not do it. will not triffe with you."

> If any of your opponents have any doubts concerning the matter, on the score of testimony, they can address -

> Miller Crane, Samuel B. Hatcher, Samuel H. Smoot, Nelson Crane, Brookville, Mo.; ter Krizer, Mrs. Krizer, New Market, Mo.

Some of these were present on the first evening-most of them on both; and were disposed to use the names of entire strun-Of this, the most singular fact is, no one felt gers, I could send you a great many more. C. R. BASHORE.

> the former stabbing the latter several times with a knife. One of the wounds in his side is very large, and the doctor's opinion is that it will prove fatal. Adam was arrested by the Marshal, but he has since suc-

JOHN S. THOMSON, WHOLE-ALE GROCER, Nos. 30 and 32 Second street, near Post Office 33. St Louis, Mo. 18

1853. St. Louis, Mo. 1853.

H As in store and is in receipt of the following desirable stock of Greeries, which is offersed at the lowest market rates for prompt pay:
600 their N. O. and cl'd'si sugar, 300 bbls cl'f'd do,
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50 casks prunes, 50 cases do, in glass,
110 bbls S. S. almonds, 25 do H. S. do, 25 do fiberts,
25 bbls English valuats, 25 do cream nuts,
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110 do fineshing do, 6, 8 and 10, 100 do wrought do.

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To the Voters of Mason Township, in the County of Mason Township, in

100 reams tea paper, 100 bas lemon syrup,
1000 bags dairy sall, 1000 do G. A. do, 200 do L. B. de,
600 dos 2 hosp buckets, 200 do 3 hosp do,
100 dos half buckets, 300 seats pi'd tubs, 3 & 8 each,
100 dos sine wash boards, 150 bas clothes plus,
25 des well-buckets, 300 bas block matches,
260 bas Roman matches, 100 bbls cakem,
260 bbls butter and water crackers, 100 do pitch,
100 bbls resin, 280 bas clay pipes, 100 do stone do,
25 cases g's'd Turk pipe-heads, 25 bbls pearl barl'y,
260 demigchus, 1 to 5 gailtons, 100 cks rice,
100 bas double refined salacratus,
10 cases Scotch sie, 25 bbls Mason's blacking.
200 half bbls city and La. B. M. melanes,
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200 chests h't green and black leas, 400 bas de do,
100 pks golden sytup, 500 bas Va. and his tebacco
310 bas cut smok'g tobacco, 100 do sat chewing de
180 bas yellow bank do, 25 de spanish smok'g do,
100 jas Macaboy snulf, 2 bbls Scotch do,
20 m M Havana do, 310 boxes meter do,
200 boxes 'Cubannul Havana sixer do,
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Barber's Shop.

TAILORING. JAMES THOMPSON, & JOHN A. LENNON, the Lime Man, Merchant Taylor.

HAVE associated themselves trigether for the urpose of carrying on the TAILORING BUSI-NES in all its various branckes.
On Main street, one door north of the Brady House, and next door to C. W. Bryan's Stove Store.
They have and will keep, the best of Jeurneymen all the time, and will Execute Work as Expeditiously, as neatly and as fashionably as they know how.
We will not say we will beat the man that makes the fashions, but will say they will keep as near the pic-

fashions, but will say they will keep as near the picinch tons, but the largest, best and cheapest stock of Claths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Trimmings and Sum-mer Goods, that Hannibal ever had the good luck to have in it.

BJ Give us a call gentlemen, you are bound to be suited in my kind, or quality of Goods.
Hennibal, April 29, 1803.-d3m

Philadelphia Clothing Store,

MACKEREL .-- New Crop. PRIME ARTICLE.

100 BARRELS AND HALF BARRELS,
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(right cheap), by T. R. SELMES. (right cheap). by

GOODS.

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PROCLAMATION.

Mayor of the City of Hamibal.

May 17th, '53 d-&wtd IUST received, a general assortment of Fancy Fashionable Summer Goods, Tissues, Shalleys, Silk Berages, Fancy Jaconets, Canton Crape Shawls, Emb'd Bertha Capes, Black Silk Veils, Emb'd Linen Cambric Handkercheifs, Painted Collars, Superior Whale-Bones, &c., &c., at reduced prices.

S. M. MOORE. Please call and sec. May 17th, 1858-d3t)

HOUSE, MONROE HOUS

THE undersigned proprietor, would respectfully inform the public, that he has just opened in a new and elegant style, the above house; and knowing the anticipations of his friends, he assures them and the public that his price and ambition shall be satisfied, not only by keeping a much better house than has even been kept in this city, but that none shall excel him in the finte.

This is a tall pledge, but try him and you shall be satisfied.

N. B.—Shoot, Jordan & Davis, in connection with the house, have the largest and most splendid Stable counded of Br. Louis, in the State, where the public can be seconmodated afvectily with sate and fast horses, fine buggies, carr ages, or hacks, for any destination. Also the best feed and attention to horsen or mules, all at fair rates.

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But C. W. BRYAN wants 810,000 in Gold, At the St. Louis Stove Store, for which he will gire

At the Lowest Cash Price.

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3 St. Louis Stove Store, Main Street, two doors.

North of the Brady House.

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Is a very superior and Summer wear. The prices are very low, and as the goods are all well excleted, and of such many terial, purchasers cannot full to be suited. We have Bents and class, Caspet Bags, Ladies' Shees, Pocket Handkerchielt, Glover, &c.—Chiefy Clothing, but a little exceptibility of the Class of the World of the Case of the World of the World of the Case of the World of the World of the World of the World of the Case of the World of the World of the Case of the World of th

Lime for Sale!

I have lime for sale, of a .

Fine White Quality. And will sell it

Very Cheap for Cash,

At the lime kiln formerly occupied by Patrick J. Wills-Hill street, Hannibal, Mo. [my14'53d3m] JOHN G. GERRY.

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To clear the timber off the line of the Rail Road.
from here to Palmyra.

Persons wishing to Contract for Grading Sections on this line, can get a Fair Price per Cubic Yand for doing the same, and Payments made Satisfactory to them by applying to me, at this place or Palmyra.

Hannibal, May 10, 1853.—(d2w) M. 51ZER.

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A BOY between fourteen and eighteen years of age.

A of steady habits, to learn the TINNING BUSINESS—at the St. Leuis Stove Store.
C. W. BRYAN.
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